LOCAL MATTERS:

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Dr. Addison Elected Dean.

Bishop Paret presided at the June meeting of the Washington Convocation which was held last week at St. John's Church, Georgetown, as by the death of the dean, the late Rev. Dr. Meyer Lewin, the convocation was left without a presiding officer. Two clergymen were nominated for the office of dean, Rev. Dr. Thomas G. Addison, rector of Trinity parish, Washington, and Rev. W. L. Hyland, of Surrattsville, Md. The balloting resulting in the election of Dr. Addison. Rev. Charles D. Andrews was re-elected clerk of the convocation. The office of treasurer, made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Lewis J. Davis, was filled by the election of Rev. Mr. Andrews to that office also, it being the opinion of most of the clergymen that the offices of secretary and treasurer should be combined. The new dean, Dr. Addison, who is one of the best known and most popular clergymen of the diocese, will not enter upon his official duties until he has been formally notified of his election in writing by the secretary.

Charlotte Hall.

The commencement exercises at this time honored institution will occur this year on Thursday, July 1st. The Hon. Wm. P. C. Breckenridge, member of Congress from Kentucky, and nephew of the great orator and statesman, John Breckenridge, will deliver the annual address to the students on this occasion. The address will, without doubt, be an able production, and this fact should attract even a larger number than usual to the school on commencement day. An invitation is extended to all the citizens of Charles county to attend a kindness that will no doubt be availed of by a goodly number. We have been requested by the school authorities to request every alumnus of Charlotte Hall who may read this article to send his name, present address and occupation to R. W. Silvester, Charlotte Hall, Md., as such information will be of advantage to his *Alma Mater*. We trust this request will be heeded by all, and that Capt. Silvester will soon have the name of every former student of Charlotte Hall from Charles county. Hon. W. M. Muschette, of our bar, is the president of the alumni association of the school.

Lunacy Commission.

The State lunacy commission, appointed by Governor Lloyd in accordance with an act of the last Legislature, met on Monday evening at Barnum's Hotel. The commissioners, all of whom were present, are Dr. Alexander H. Bayly, of Cambridge, appointed for four years; Dr. John Morris, three years; Dr. C. W. Chancellor, two years; Dr. T. S. Latimer, one year, and Attorney-General Roberts, who is a member by virtue of his office. Dr. Bayly was elected president, and Dr. Wm. Lee, of Baltimore, secretary. The act under which the commission was created took effect on June 1. They have supervisory control of all public and private establishments where the insane are confined. Quarterly meetings of the board are to be held regularly, but special meetings can be called by two members. The members have similar powers to justices of the peace and coroners in matters connected with the insane. The secretary, whose salary is fixed at $1,000 a year, is the active agent of the board. He is to visit the establishments for the insane twice a year, and make as many other visits as may be necessary, and to report to the board. The members of the board serve without pay, but are paid the expenses incurred while attending to the business of the commission.

State Teachers Association.

In a brevity last week we stated that the annual meeting of the State Teachers Association would be held at the Blue Mountain House, Washington county, Md., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, July 6th, 7th and 8th, but Mr. A. W. Neale, our worthy school examiner, did not think that a sufficient notice to our readers of this event, especially of the advantages offered to our people of the cheap and pleasant recreation that would be afforded to those who may wish to attend, so the following in this connection may be of interest. It is hoped that all who attend the Convention will be present at the opening session on Tuesday, at 8 P. M., when Major H. Kyd Douglas, of Hagerstown, will deliver the address of welcome. The Western Maryland Railroad will sell round trip tickets from Baltimore to Blue Mountain for $2.00; round trip tickets to Baltimore, at the rate of two cents a mile each way, will be sold at all stations, in Maryland, on the Baltimore and Potomac, the Northern Central, and the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroads. Board at the Blue Mountain House has been secured at $2 per day as long as any of the teachers or others who attend desire to remain. The teachers of Charles county can obtain any further information from A. W. Neale, the school examiner. Mr. Neale has twelve cards which will entitled the holder to the reduced rates at the hotel or on the railroads, these he is anxious to dispose of and will present them to any one making application for the same.

That Vacancy.

The question of filling the vacancy in the board of county commissioners caused by the resignation of S. Cox, Jr., has been frequently discussed during the recent meetings of the board and the names of the gentlemen suggested to become a member have all been so well received and were of such undoubted sterling worth and public spiritedness that it was almost a matter of impossibility to select between them. Finally, however, it was suggested to the board that their wishes in the matter would be considered in the selection and that it was almost necessary for them to decide upon a gentleman before the recommendation to the Governor would be made. Acting upon this suggestion the board, after carefully considering the matter, decided to recommend Mr. Thos. T. Owen, the enterprising merchant of our town, as the one they desired to have as their colleague and co-laborer in the management of our county affairs, and their wishes in the matter were made known to those from whom the recommendation to the Governor should come. We think the selection of the board a wise one and, without the least disparagement to the other gentlemen named, we hope that Mr. Owen may be selected to fill the vacancy, as we think that his appointment would meet the hearty and unanimous approbation of the public. He is a gentleman of undoubted business capacity as his long and successful business career will testify, his ideas are progressive and public spirited, and his Democracy sterling and unswerving. He would make a valuable addition to the present able board and the management of our county could not be placed in more careful or safer hands than his.

Death of J. Alex. Brawner.

In our last issue we published the fact that the gentleman whose name heads this article has been stricken with partial paralysis, his whole right side becoming helpless, while he was attending to his duties in the Naval Office at the Baltimore custom house. He was removed to his house and remained in his bed in that helpless state until Saturday morning last when death relieved him from all earthly pain and claimed him as its victim. His remains were brought to La Plata by the noon train on Monday and interred at Mount Rest Cemetery. They were attended to their last resting place by a large host of his sorrowing friends from this neighborhood. Few men who have been raised in our county were better or more widely known than Mr. Brawner. For a number of years preceeding and during the troublous time from 1861 to 1865 he was proprietor of the Brawner House, now the St. Charles Hotel, in this town, and in this capacity was thrown in contact with nearly all of our citizens and his genial and social nature made for him a host of friends among our people. During the war Mr. Brawner was a strong sympathizer with the Southern cause, and his hotel was, in a measure, the headquarters for the leading spirits among those sympathizers in our county. By his efforts and energy many of our citizens who entered the Confederate army were enabled to cross the river and reach the Southern lines, and more than once he was suspected of this by the Union authorities here and his person and hotel made the subject of especial espionage in consequence but they were never able to attach the blame to him and he was never molested. About the year 1873 Mr. Brawner went to Baltimore and secured a position in the Government service at the Baltimore custom house, and he has held continuously various positions therein up to the time of his death. In early life he married Miss Catherine Briscoe, daughter of the late Washington Briscoe, of this county, and she with five children survive his death. Mr. Brawner was in the 52nd year of his age at the time of his demise.

Commissioners Meeting.

The board of county commissioners met at their office here on Tuesday, the full board in attendance. Various accounts against the county which were presented but improperly drawn at the meeting two weeks ago, for the purpose of passing such claims, were again presented, and all that were in proper shape were passed to be entered in the levy. The five supervisors made their reports to the board, all of which were passed and the accounts paid in full in cash. These reports show the careful supervision the supervisors have exercised in doing road work and in purchasing material therefor. The largest account was that of the 5th corps, and in that instance the account was run up by the purchase of new implements for doing work and for the lumber required in repairing numerous bridges which fell to the lot of this corps. In this instance the report was for $171; while in the case of the others they ranged from $130 to $150. These reports compare more than favorably with those presented by former supervisors, some of which reach as high as $400, and in few instances do they come below $200. If the same careful management is exercised throughout the year the commissioners will be able to run the roads this entire road year on the money borrowed for that purpose. Arrangements were made on Tuesday for the placing of the entire $5,000 loan ordered by the board under authority of the act of Assembly all of which has now been placed at 5 per cent per annum. The loan is distributed as follows: B. W. B. M'Pherson, $1,000; John B. Lyon, $2,000; W. M. Muschette, $1,000; James A. Mason, $300 and G. A. Rasch, $700. It will be noticed that with the exception of the $700 to Mr. Rasch the entire loan has been taken by parties in the county, and even after he had concluded to take the $700 an offer was received from one of our citizens for $500 of it. The board will meet again on June 29th for the purpose of signing the levy and fixing the rate of taxation for the ensuing year.

The Economy of Road Machines.

In these days of labor saving machinery, when manual labor in every branch of industry, including agriculture, is rapidly giving place to the more expeditious and economical work of the labor saving devices which modern mechanical ingenuity has perfected, and when our commissioners are laboring so carefully and conscientiously to bring about economy in the public service of the county, it will not be out of place to suggest to their consideration, in connection with the public road service of the county, the subject of road machines. With this view we print below from the *Bel Air Ægis* an account of a recent trial of these machines in Harford county and the resolution adopted by a convention of the tax payers of that county after the experiment. The Lamborn machine, which was perferred by the committee conducting the experiment, has been partially tried in this county, one of them being now in operation under one of our road corps. We do not believe, however, that this machine was ever worked to its full capacity, or made to show such results as it is capable of. The nature of our soil here is no doubt very well suited to the successful operation of these machines. If one or more of them could be put in successful operation in each of the corps it could not fail to accomplish much toward that economy and efficiency in the public road service of the county which our commissioners are laboring so earnestly to bring about. The following is the report from the *Ægis*:

A trial of road scrapers took place on Monday, at Forest Hill, in the presence of commissioners Poole, Hooker and Hope. The Judges were Messrs. Wm. R. Galbreath, John T. Cathcart and D. T. Archer. The competing machines were the Mendenhall, represented by Mr. Joseph Pyle, and the Lamborn, of which Mr. Clement Porter is agent. The committee, in their report, say that both machines did good work and it would be economy for the county to buy either, but they considered the Lamborn the more economical of the two. The cost of the Lamborn is $150 and of the Mendenhall $110. The Lamborn is the larger. The Mendenhall machine was worked by two mules, driven by Mr. Henry Gorrell and operated by Mr. Pyle. The Lamborn had four horses attached to it and was driven by Mr. Wm. Horn and operated by Mr. Porter. A meeting of taxpayers was then organized, with Mr. Wm. M. Edelin chairman. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the trial of the road machines this day has demonstrated that we can no longer afford to work the roads of the county with the pick and shovel, or with plow and shovel, and that the County Commissioners be urged in the interest of economy, to purchase road machines.

Department Crop Reports.

The crop report of the department of agriculture makes the area of spring wheat nearly the same as last year, about 12,000,000 acres. The condition of spring wheat averages 98½ against 97 in June of last year. Winter wheat is not quite so promising as on the 1st of May. A slight decline in condition is reported in the West, and the low condition of the Southern crop is still more reduced. Yet the average is only reduced two points, from 94.9 to 92.7. It is still from average to high in the great wheat growing States. It is very promising in Maryland and Virginia, except in wet lands. In the South it has been affected with rust, shriveling the grain harvested. Rye has also declined from a general average of 95.7 to 94.4 during the last month. The barley acreage has been increased 3 per cent., and condition averages 100; last year in June 89. The large acreage of oats in 1885 has not been extensively increased.

The Congressional Nominations.

The Board of Public Works has got through with nearly all its political appointments, and are to be congratulated on the satisfaction that has been given throughout the State by the appointments thus far made.

The Tax Commissioner and Insurance Commissioner are yet to be appointed. It is probable that Col. Woolford and Mr. Hines will be their own successors. There are democrats who think these incumbents have held office long enough and should like to see a change made, but in the present condition of political affairs it is not like they will be molested. They are pretty sure to get two more years. The immediate political business this year is the election of congressmen, and this is really the only practical politics there is this summer. We shall soon have the congressional conventions called; and the sooner the better.

In the first district, Hon. Charles H. Gibson will not encounter opposition for a renomination; at least, there are no suggestions now that he will. Who will be his republican opponent is unknown; probably James W. Waddell, of Talbot, or Thomas S. Hodson, of Somerset.

In the second district, J. F. C. Talbot is going to make a fight against Shaw, the present Congressman, and the issue is said to be in doubt. Talbot claims Baltimore and Cecil counties, and hopes for Harford. But claiming and obtaining are sometimes at variance. It is certain, however, that Talbot's fight makes Shaw's friends uneasy.

Hon. John V. L. Findlay, it is said, will be an irregular or independent candidate if he does not get the regular nomination, of which there is small chance. Skinwith Wilmer, Findlay's old antagonist, still lives in that district and is still eligible for a democratic nomination for Congress. It is about time the Hon. Wm. Pinkney White was coming to the front again, and it would surprise no one if he is a congressional candidate this year. Isidor Rayner, the bright and eloquent young Senator from Baltimore, would not disdain a congressional nomination. Dr. Cole would, in the natural order of congressional politics, get a renomination without a struggle for it, but it is said the natural order will not be followed this year. Unfortunately, Dr. Cole is not now physically strong. He has never entirely recovered from the severe illness that followed his election to Congress in 1884, and has been unable to assert himself in congressional work with the vigor and ability he would have done had he been in health.

In the fifth district, Hon. Barnes Compton will without doubt be renominated without opposition and re-elected by a good majority. The brilliant campaign Mr. Compton made in 1884 and the great victory he won in the fifth over the young and strong champion of republicanism, Hart B. Holton, will not be soon forgotten.

It is not known what the democrats in the sixth district are going to do. The republicans will probably put up McComas again. He is a strong man, but the democrats ought to unite and put in the field a man to beat him; one who could and would do it. Last fall the democrats of that district made a gallant fight and won a glorious victory. Maryland is entitled to a solid democratic delegation in Congress, and this is the year to recover it. Would not either Victor Baughman or Kyd Douglas fill the bill? There's somebody out their among the mountains that can beat McComas, and whoever he is, he's the man to nominate.

It is very soon to be speculating upon next year's State ticket, but people will talk and politicians are no exception to the rule. Those who have kept their eyes and ears open have heard Congressman Compton's, Governor Lloyd's, Comptroller Turner's, Attorney-General Roberts and Senator Jackson's name mentioned for Governor. It is known that there are on the Western Shore some influential people in politics who would push Mr. Turner for the gubernatorial nomination if he would permit it, and a Baltimore paper, democratic, but sometimes of mugwumpish tendencies, warmly advocates his nomination. Mr. Geo. Colton, though he is not now in accord with the management, and got left last winter, is not to be despised. He is brainy, active, shrewd and popular, and as he goes out of office is in a position to hew to the line and let the chips fly whence they will. Sometime ago Mr. Colton suggested this ticket: Governor, Charles B. Roberts; Comptroller, H. Welles Rusk; Attorney-General, John B. Brown. It is not a ticket that would be accepted by the present controlling influences of the party in its entirety. All of this State ticket business, however, is way off in the future, and its consideration need bother no one yet. Our present business is to nominate and elect by increased majorities six Democratic congressmen from Maryland.—*Easton Ledger.*

Local Reader.

Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of the "Go-ahead" Baltimore Clothiers, C. N. Ochm & Son, with progressive enterprise they offer a genuine Waterbury Watch to all purchasers to the amount of $12.00 or over. Messrs. Ochms' reliability is well known to most of our readers, and their store on the corner of Pratt and Hanover Sts., is full of all that is best and cheapest in Men's, Youths', Boys' and Childrens Clothing.

Local Brevities.

Harvest will be general next week. Many have already commenced garnering their crop.

Wm. H. Wade, ex-tax collector of the 2nd district, is seriously indisposed at the residence of his father, Capt. Rich. Wade.

A game of base ball between Cox's Station and Brentland nines, at Brentland last Saturday, resulted in a victory for Cox's Station by the score of 27 to 17.

We are in receipt of numerous invitations to a tend school commencements in the various institutions of this and other States, for which we duly return thanks.

The continued rainy spell has give farmers an excellent opportunity to pitch their tobacco crop and this work has been vigorously pushed during the past two weeks.

Mrs. Carrie Brawner and her daughters, Miss Bessie, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Bailey, of Washington, have been visiting at Mrs. Boswell's, in this town, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Hunatt will for the future be glad to entertain their county friends at 91 St. Paul st., Baltimore. Mrs. Hunatt's ability to please the inner man will beyond a doubt secure her the patronage of all Charles countians.

Yesterday was decidedly the warmest day we have experienced so far this season, the thermometer registering 92 degrees at noon. Although the sun had such power a cooling and pleasant breeze prevailed almost the entire day.

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We understand that Chapel Point has been rented by a gentleman from New Jersey named Gray. He will, however, not open the resort generally to the public until next season. He has also rented the farm attached to the property and proposes, so we learn, to engage extensively in truck farming.

Next Monday the 21st instant, is the longest day in the year and is time of the summer solstice. On that day at eight o'clock in the morning, the sun reaches his extreme point of northern declination, and inaugurates the summer solstice. In our latitude, the great central orb pours his most intense rays upon the earth, his course sweeps over the broad concave of the heavens with greatest meridian altitude, and his departing light lingers longest above the horizon.

Bishop Paret made his annual visitation to this parish yesterday. At Piney in the morning he confirmed a class of twenty and at Christ Church in this town in the afternoon thirteen persons, most of them adults, received this sacred rite at his hands. Notwithstanding the extreme heat of the day a large congregation welcomed the Bishop here and listened attentively to his able discourse to the confirmed class. He left the same afternoon for Piccawaxen where he will officiate to-day.

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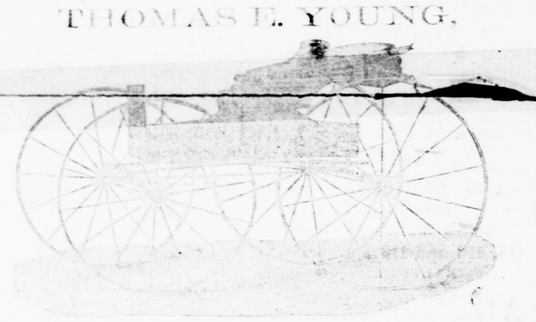

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